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Augustient claims small entity status (see 37 C.F.R. 1.27)	Atty. Docket Number 33875/US					
METHOD OF PAYMENT (Check One)	FEE CALCULATION (Continued)					
⊠ Check	3. ADDITIO			IAL FEES		
Deposit Account No.: 04-1420 Deposit Account Name: DORSEY & WHITNEY LLP For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby	Large Entity Fee	Small Entity Fee	Fee Description	e Description Fee paid		
authorized to: (check all that apply)  Charge any additional fees or underpayments of fee(s) under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17	50 25 Surcharge - late provis cover sheet		-			
☐ Credit any overpayments	130	65	Surcharge – Late nonprovisional filing fee or oath			
Other (please identify):	180	180	Submission of IDS	ubmission of IDS		
Extra Claim Fees	40	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
Current Claims         Prior         Extra         Fee         Fee Paid           Total         -         20 =         x \$ = \$	120	60		Extension for reply within first month		
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Multiple Dependent Claims x \$ = \$  Total (Extra Claims) \$	1,020	510	Extension for reply	within third month		
Total (Extra Claims)		795	Extension for reply	ension for reply within fourth month		
Petition Fee Under 37 CFR 1.17(f), (g), & (h)	2,160	2,160 1,080 Extension for reply within fifth month				
Enclosed is a Petition filed under 37 CFR as indicated below:	790	395 Submission After Final 1.129				
Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(f) Fee \$400 § 1.53(e) to accord a filing date.	500 250 Notice of Appeal					
§ 1.57(a) to accord a filing date.	500	250	250 Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
§ 1.182 for decision on a question not provided for. § 1.183 to suspend the rules.	1,000	1,000 500 Request for oral hearing				
§ 1.378(e) for reconsideration of decision on petition refusing delayed payment of maintenance fee in expired patent.	130 65 Terminal Discl		Terminal Disclaime	er Fee		
§ 1.174(b) to accord a filing date to an application under §1.740 for extension of patent term.	1,400	700	700 Utility & Reissue Issue Fee			
Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(g) Fee \$200	800	400	Design Issue Fee	•		
§ 1.12 for access to an assignment record. § 1.14 for access to an application.	790	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
§ 1.47 for filing by other than all inventors or person not the inventor. § 1.59 for expungement of information. § 1.103(a) to suspend action in an application.	300	Request for voluntary publication or				
§ 1.136(b) for review of a request for ext. of time when §1.136(a) not avail.	500	250	Petition to Revive – unavoidable			
§ 1.295 for review of refusal to publish a statutory invention registration. § 1.296 to withdraw a req. for pub. after notice of intent to publish issued.	1,500 750 Petition to Revive – unintentional					
§ 1.377 for review of decision refusing to accept a maintenance fee filed prior to expiration of a patent.	200	3 - Para				
§ 1.550(c) for request for ext. of time in <u>ex parte</u> reexam. proceedings. § 1.956 for request for ext. of time in <u>ex parte</u> reexam. proceedings.	400	400 Request for reinstatement of term reduced				
§ 5.12 for expedited handling of foreign filing license. § 5.15 for changing the scope of a license.	1,120			Extension of term of patent		
§ 1.5.25 for retroactive license.	OTHER	FEE				
Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(h) Fee \$130 § 1.19(g) to request documents in a form other than provided in this part.	(specify					
§ 1.84 for accepting color drawings or photographs. § 1.91 for entry of a model or exhibit.			Subto	Subtotal (Additional Fees)		
§ 1.102(d) to make an application special. § 1.138(c) to expressly abandon an application to avoid publication.	Total Amount of Payme			unt of Payment:	\$130.00	
§ 1.313 to withdraw an application from issue. § 1.314 to defer issuance of a patent.				•		
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# THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Appln. No.:

10/767,837

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Title:

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# PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(d) ACCELERATED EXAMINATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 I hereby certify that this document is being sent via First Class U.S. mail addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 13 day of 2005.

(Signature)

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby request that this application be granted special status pursuant to M.P.E.P. § 708.02, Subpart VIII (A)-(E).

- (A) The fee of \$ 130.00 set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(h), § 1.102 (to make application special) is submitted in a check herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-1420.
  - (B) Applicants Claims are Directed to a Single Invention

All currently pending claims are directed to a single invention. See enclosed Preliminary Amendment canceling all but claims 1-12.

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(C) A Pre-Examination Search Has Been Made

A pre-examination search was performed by the International Searching Authority in connection with International Patent Application No. PCT/CH02/00413, filed on July 22, 2002, which claims priority to German Application No. 101 63 358.9, filed on December 21, 2002 and German Application No. 201 12 501.3, filed on July 30, 2001, from

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which the present application is a continuation. The search field included data in classification IPC 7 A61M.

#### (D) Copies of Cited References

An information disclosure statement was filed citing and submitting the eight documents discussed below. Because the documents are of record, copies of the previously cited documents are not included.

#### (E) Detailed Discussion of References

A discussion of the documents cited in the PCT search report points out, with particularity required by 37 C.F.R. 1.111(b) and (c), how the claimed subject matter distinguishes over the documents follows:

#### 1. U.S. Patent 4,592,745

The reference discloses a dispenser device.

#### 2. U.S. Patent 4,973,318

The reference discloses a disposable syringe.

# 3. U.S. Patent 5,611,783

The reference discloses a pen-shaped syringe.

#### 4. <u>U.S. Patent 6,221,046</u>

The reference discloses a recyclable medication dispensing device.

# 5. German Patent 44 25 763 A1

The reference discloses an injection device.

# 6. European Patent Application 1 095 668 A1

The reference discloses an electronic medication delivery pen.

# 7. European Patent Application 0 594 349 A1

The reference discloses a device to prevent refilling a syringe.

# 8. PCT Publication WO 97/17095

The reference discloses an injection device for a liquid medicament.

Each of the above-mentioned references fails to disclose the elements of the independent claim. Specifically, the above-mentioned references fail to disclose or suggest: [a]n administering apparatus for administering a fluid product in doses, said administering apparatus comprising: a) a casing comprising a reservoir for said product; b) a driven device which performs a delivery stroke in an advancing direction along a translational axis, in order to deliver a product dosage; c) a drive device which effects the delivery movement; d) a dosage setting member which is coupled to said driven device such that a rotational dosing movement which said dosage setting member and the driven device perform about said translational axis relative to each other causes an axial translational dosing movement of the dosage setting member relative to the driven device and said casing; e) a translational stopper which the dosage setting member lies opposite, axially facing, in an axial end position; f) and a rotational block having a plurality of axially oriented rotational stoppers, which in said end position permits the rotational dosing movement in a first rotational direction and blocks the rotational dosing movement in the other, second rotational direction, in order to prevent the dosage setting member from being pressed axially against said translational stopper by the rotational dosing movement.

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Clearly, all the requirements of M.P.E.P. § 708.02, Subpart VIII (A)-(E) have been met, and grant of this petition for special handling is requested.

The Office is invited to telephone the undersigned if doing so will help.

Respectfully submitted,

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